

ber of precincts where the polls were not opened in the primary. How many I have no way of knowing, but I was informed that there were three at least in Wythe county, five in Washington county, probably five in Wise county and some in other counties.

"If you care to pursue the subject further, I dare say this excellent clue furnished by Mr. Tucker will enable you to run it down."

"As stated in my address, my informant quoted Mr. Tucker as also stating that he, Tucker, had been informed and believed that 'some' of these precincts returned a large majority for his opponent. In Mr. Tucker's published interview he says: 'I did hear this charge made as to one precinct in Southwest Virginia, and that eighteen majority were returned from that precinct for Judge Mann.'"

"The gentleman from whom I quoted in my address still states that his recollection of Mr. Tucker's remark is that there were 'some' such precincts. As there is thus some difference in memory between my informant and Mr. Tucker as to the number of unopened precincts which returned majorities for his opponent, and recognizing that both are honest gentlemen and sincere in the statements they make, I am willing, having my informant's approval, to accept Mr. Tucker's published statement as correct on this point. A reading of Mr. Tucker's statement published this morning in The Times-Dispatch will show that it corroborates the statement I quoted in my address in all particulars but this one."

"WYNDHAM R. MEREDITH." Mr. Meredith is satisfied with his reply, surely I ought to be, said Mr. Meredith last night. "He made in a public speech the statement that some of the precincts in the Democratic State primary of August 5 were not opened, and yet from these precincts returns were made and majorities given in favor of the successful candidate for Governor, and gave as his authority for the statement a gentleman who had received it himself from Mr. Tucker."

"Mr. Tucker, in yesterday's Times-Dispatch, writes that he had heard that such was the case as to one precinct, but upon inquiry ascertained that it was not true, and requested, as he knew nothing further about the matter, I feel, therefore, that I have done my duty in establishing the fact, both upon the evidence of Mr. Meredith and of Mr. Tucker, that these charges of fraudulent returns were absolutely without foundation."

on unquestioned authority that the administration will proceed along lines popular in the past administration—the punishment of bad trusts. However, there will be little noise connected with the work. Intelligent discrimination will be used in attacking those deemed to be purposely employed in trying to restrict trade and stifle competition.

Tobacco Ruling Awaited. A point of deep concern is that, while the administration will proceed in the future with greater confidence and clearance as to what the courts will hold in similar cases, it will, to a large degree, the final decision of the United States Supreme Court in the American Tobacco Company cases and in the appeal in the Standard Oil case. Of equal importance to the Standard Oil case is that of the American Tobacco Company, now before the Supreme Court and in process of final adjudication. The Standard case will not reach the Supreme Court for more than a year. The American Tobacco Company case is close to decision.

Upon the latter case will largely depend the future course of the government as to trusts under the Sherman anti-trust laws. That decision will mean more to the government or the corporations than the Standard case, owing to the intimate business relations it maintains with the retail business of the country.

Trust Busting to Go Slow. The trust busting machinery of the administration has proceeded so far with much caution and has allowed some suits partially begun under the last administration.

TAKES OATH OF OFFICE AS PHILIPPINE GOVERNOR

MANILA, November 24.—In the marble hall of the Ayuntamiento, once used for conference by the Spanish authorities, and now the chamber of the popular assembly, at 10:30 o'clock this morning, W. Cameron Forbes, of Massachusetts, took the oath of office as governor-general of the Philippines and delivered his inaugural address. He is the fifth and youngest governor-general since the United States instituted civil government here. The hall was packed and the surrounding streets were thronged. The governor-general was enthusiastically received. Improvement in the material condition of the islands and the people was the keynote of Governor Forbes' address. He counseled Americans and Filipinos to unite jointly to strive for the advancement of the islands, quoting figures to show that the per capita production in the Philippines was far behind that of Porto Rico and Hawaii.

The Governor outlined an extensive program of public improvements, including roads, irrigation, rivers and harbors. He read the original McKinley instructions, and declared that they had been fully carried out, the United States only retaining a necessary strong central control. Following the address Governor Forbes held a reception. The inaugural ball will take place to-night.

Warrior Makes Statement. CINCINNATI, Ohio, November 23.—In the first public statement issued since his arrest, Charles L. Warriner, former treasurer of the Big Four Railroad, now under indictment on a charge of embezzlement, declined to say that any other person employed by the railroad is connected with his shortage.

Catarrh Whether it is of the nose, throat, stomach, bowels, or more delicate organs, catarrh is always debilitating and should have attention. The discharge from the mucous membrane is because this is kept in a state of inflammation by an impure condition of the blood. Therefore, to cure, take the best blood purifier, Hood's Sarsaparilla.

In usual liquid form or chocolate tablets known as Sarsatabs. 100 doses \$1.

Virginia Educators:

We greet and welcome you to our city.



For that Thanksgiving trip here's an Overcoat made especially for the young man.

It's different in every particular from the style for the conservative man. It has color, pattern and trim that are in good taste but still pronounced. It doesn't suggest in any way a last year's garment.

As low as \$18.00; as high as \$38.00—but at this latter price you get the best.

Raincoats have now been universally adopted as standard and necessary garments.

It's the sort we sell that's impressed wearers with their durability, desirability and utility.

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Don't want a shoe of doubtful "make" this weather.

The Berry Shoe—now famous—will measure up to all requirements in fit and fashion, besides insuring you against damp feet.

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DEARMOND DIES IN BURNING HOME

(Continued From Page One—Column 5.) recognition of Mr. Clark effectually cut him out of that position.

Double Funeral. BUTLER, Mo., November 23.—Congressman De Armond and his little grandson will have a double funeral on Friday. Burial will be in the Oak Hill Cemetery at Butler.

Messages of condolence were received to-day from Speaker Joseph G. Cannon and from President Taft. The latter sent the following message to Mrs. De Armond: "Mrs. Taft and I are shocked to hear the dreadful news. We sympathize most deeply with you in your sorrow. Your husband and mine were very intimate. He was an honest, able servant of the public and a patriot. My heart goes out to you in your loss."

FOUND AFTER THREE YEARS

Girl Stolen by Gipsies Recovered by Her Father. CHICAGO, Ill., November 23.—After a search of three years, Amelia Johnson, thirteen-years-old daughter of Ephraim Johnson, a horse dealer, of Elizabeth, N. J., who was kidnapped at Norfolk, Va., in November, 1906, was found yesterday by her father and brothers in a South Side rooming house.

Detectives accompanied the girl's relatives, and they arrested Zolacha Demitro, a gipsy, and his son, Ephraim Demitro. The elder Demitro is said to be king of a band of gipsies that make a business of kidnapping children for ransom.

THE WEATHER

Forecast: Virginia—Partly cloudy Wednesday; Thursday fair, warmer; moderate northeast to east winds. North Carolina—Fair Wednesday; cooler on Thursday; Wednesday fair, warmer; moderate northeast to east winds.

CONDITIONS YESTERDAY.	
Humidity	58
Wind, velocity	34
Wind, direction	South
Weather	Cloudy
Rainfall	0
12 noon temperature	48
3 P. M. temperature	43
Maximum temperature up to 5 P. M.	65
Minimum temperature up to 5 P. M.	42
Mean temperature	54
Normal temperature	46
Excess in temperature yesterday	8
Deficiency in temperature since March 1	34.8
Accum. excess in temperature since January 1	9
Deficiency in rainfall since March 1	7.1
Accum. deficiency in rainfall since January 1	6.98

CONDITIONS IN IMPORTANT CITIES.

Place.	Ther.	H. T.	Weather.
Memphis	48	45	Clear
Oklahoma City	48	56	Clear
Norfolk	44	66	Rain
New Orleans	36	44	Rain
Galveston	60	60	Clear
Washington	46	58	P. cloudy
Charlotte	44	58	Rain
Key West	74	82	Clear
Jacksonville	60	70	Rain
Raleigh	42	62	Rain
Asheville	34	44	Rain
Jupiter	72	82	P. cloudy
Tampa	68	78	Rain
Mobile	60	68	Rain
Atlanta	50	64	Cloudy
Buffalo	30	30	Cloudy
Cincinnati	34	36	Cloudy
Pittsburg	32	34	Clear

MINIATURE ALMANAC. November 24, 1909. Sun rises... 7:00. HIGH TIDE. Sun sets... 4:54. Morning... 1:55. Moon sets... 8:20. Evening... 2:19.

ETHEL BARRYMORE COLT.



Ethel Barrymore (Mrs. Russell Griswold Colt) is very soon to become a mother. It is said the interesting arrival is expected within a few weeks at the home of the young couple in Belhaven, Conn., where Mrs. Colt has remained during the summer and fall.

Miss Barrymore's marriage on March 15 last to the son of the millionaire president of the United States Rubber Co., followed a romantic courtship. Miss Barrymore, whom report had engaged to a score of prominent men at home and abroad, always declared she would marry an American, but Mr. Colt had been mentioned as a suitor until a few weeks before her brother, Jack Barrymore, announced that they had been married in Hyde Park near London and that they were again in the United States.

Miss Barrymore postponed arrangements for her stage appearance in the new play, "Mid Channel," until February. Her husband is a son of Col. Samuel Barrymore Colt, former president of the United States Rubber Company.

John and Lionel Barrymore will be the parents of a baby, and John drew a great-uncle.

FALLING ROOF HURTS FIREMEN

Rescued by Companions Who Escaped Uninjured.

NEW YORK, November 23.—Three firemen were badly hurt as the result of a spectacular three-alarm fire that destroyed the four-story building of Murray & Hill Planning and Milling Company, 617-621 West one Hundred and a street, early this morning.

The blaze did \$50,000 damage. Because of the amount of lumber that filled the building it took a long time to subdue the fire.

The three firemen hurt were Lieutenant Christy and Firemen Brennan and Wilson, of Engine Company No. 80. They were members of a party which was trying to force its way into a two-story extension.

The roof of the charred wooden extension, and the great obstacles of the men and the party retreated. In the confusion it was impossible to ascertain whether any were left within the collapsed building until the party was out. When the three men were missed, a rescue party was organized. The smoking ruins were again entered.

The firemen were found wedged beneath the rafters of the roof. All three were unconscious from smoke as well as suffering from bruises and cuts. They were attended by physicians of J. Horst Wright Hospital, where they were hurried in ambulances. It is believed the three firemen will all recover.

SISTER IS HER HEIR

Marquise de Merlville's Will Filled with Probits. LOUISVILLE, Ky., November 23.—Whatever interest the Marquise des Monastiers de Merlville, who was married to the late Byrd Caldwell, of Louisville, had in the Caldwell estate goes mostly, under the will of the marquise, which was filed yesterday, to her sister, the Baroness Caldwell of Zedwitz.

Two bequests of \$10,000 each are made, one to John Ridgely Carter, of London, England, and one to Charles H. Carter, of Baltimore, Md., another distant cousin. Valdemar Conrad von Zedwitz, her nephew, gets \$100,000. The residue interest goes to the sister. Reference is made to the husband of the marquise only to provide that he shall have nothing further out of her estate than is provided for in the marriage contract she had with him.

Until the marquise renounced the Catholic faith it had been expected that she would leave much to the church. However, to her will, the church is not mentioned. The Caldwell estate is one of the oldest in Louisville. The will disposes of interests valued at \$1,000,000. Largely as a matter of accommodation to the executors the order providing that the will was allowed to be withdrawn. It will be taken to New York and probated.

\$1,000,000 For The Hague. LONDON, November 23.—Domingo Gana, Chilean minister to Great Britain, to-day deposited with the Rothschilds \$1,000,000 to the order of The Hague Arbitration Court. This sum represents the interest on a loan of \$10 million of the United States against Chile, and bankers are instructed to pay the same to the government of the United States pending the decision of The Hague tribunal confirm the contention of the claimant.

Only One "BROMO QUININE" that is Laxative Bromo Quinine Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days

BALANCES FATHER TABB IS LAD TO REST



Funeral of Poet-Priest of South Attended by Great Throng.

The funeral of Father John Bannister Tabb took place from St. Peter's Church yesterday morning at 10 o'clock. The body arrived at Eliza Station at 7:45 o'clock, accompanied by Rev. Rev. E. X. McKenny, president of St. Charles College, Father John, professor at St. Mary's Seminary, Baltimore, Dr. Terrell, Dr. Louis Taylor and Gordon Blair, of this city. The party was met at the station by Rev. Joseph Magri, of St. Charles College; Rev. Thomas P. Price, of Nazareth, N. C.; Rev. Joseph Magri and Rev. Louis Smith, of St. Charles College.

The casket of the dead priest was met at the church by ten priests and a bodyguard of men, under the direction of J. E. Phillips, Jr. There it lay in state until the time of the funeral.

The services were opened with the singing of the Benedicite by 100 trained altar boys, under the direction of Brother Charles. This was followed by solemn requiem mass, the celebrant of which was Rev. J. J. Boyer, vicar-general. He was assisted by Rev. Charles E. Donahoe, of Portsmouth, deacon, and Rev. Joseph Perig, of Fredericksburg, subdeacon. The masters of ceremonies were Rev. Joseph Magri, Charles Bannister, Rev. Louis Smith and Brother Charles. Bishop Van de Vyver occupied a throne in the sanctuary. Very Rev. F. X. McKenny and Rev. John Boyer, of Baltimore, acted as deacons of honor to the bishop, who, after the sermon, solemnized the funeral service. Other clergymen in the sanctuary were Very Rev. R. K. Wakeham, Rev. Joseph Magri, Rev. Father Boon, Rev. Thomas P. Price, Rev. James T. O'Farrell, Rev. J. B. O'Reilly, Very Rev. Edward Meyer, O. S. B., and Rev. Charles Pettigrew.

Dr. Magri's Address. The funeral eulogy, delivered by Rev. Joseph Magri, D. D., was in part as follows: "The words are those that a disciple would utter over his deceased master, the speaker as well as many of the junior members of the clergy having studied under Father Tabb at St. Charles College. His life was an endeavor to see realized in himself and others the good, the true and the beautiful. This endeavor was realized through his being a musician, a man of artistic temperament and a poet. His verses were perfect, so as not to bear further adornment. His fame has traveled into all English-speaking countries. He has left us gems of poetry, they are exquisite in their delicate beauty."

"He was a man of war and a man of peace. He fought for his country in the navy as a blockade runner, but he loved him best as a man of peace. His friendship, sympathy and tenderness, and his big-heartedness seemed to flow from his nature, loving the trees, the hills, the fields, the mountains and the running brooks, because he saw in all these things the goodness, the truth and the beauty of God."

"He was great as the priest, standing as the mediator between God and man. The natural truth and goodness and beauty of his soul received additional perfection from his character as a priest of God."

Loved the South. "He loved the South and his institutions. He gloried in his men of letters. Sidney Lanier was his bosom friend. His admiration for Poe could scarcely be greater. He became a member of St. Peter's Church, in which he frequently preached during his vacations."

"The say he is dead. He lives; his memory is imperishably inscribed in our hearts. We glory that he was our priest. We are grieved at his loss, but not crushed. We are consoled that we are to meet him face to face, before the throne of God. We are consoled that his life has been to us a constant example of the good, the true and the beautiful. We are consoled to know that when we are dead and gone, countless generations yet unborn will bless and adore the name of John B. Tabb, the poet-priest of the South."

During the services the "Ave Maria" was sung, and while the body was being carried from the church, "Abide With Me" was sung. Services at the grave were conducted by Rev. Charles E. Donahoe, assisted by Rev. Father Magri, Price, Magri and Smet. The interment was in Hollywood.

OBITUARY

Mary Elizabeth Cole. Mary Elizabeth Cole, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Cole, died at the residence of her parents, No. 1416 Park Avenue Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock. She was a native of Virginia, and was 82 years of age.

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Mr. Simpson was fifty-seven years of age. He was a native of Pittsylvania county, but had lived in Radford a number of years. His death, following a two-weeks' illness, was due to a collection of disease from the war. Mr. Simpson leaves, besides his wife, the following children: Thomas Simpson, of Farmington, N. C.; John Simpson, of Roanoke; Mrs. E. T. Smet and Mrs. A. N. Stump, of Radford; Mrs. A. D. Powell, and J. C. Simpson, of Birmingham, Ala.

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A CLOSE SHAVE

Many of Them Happening Every Day, But Soon Forgotten.

Cloze shaves would be of more frequent occurrence but for the tender faces of many men who will not permit of shaving often. Heretofore, nothing has been said in these columns about a new skin skin discovery, in connection with skin after shaving. Its publicity and sales have often been confined almost exclusively to its remarkable properties as an exfoliant cure; it stops the itching at once and cures the worst cases in a few days. While the application of pomade after shaving is one of its minor uses, such as for pimples, the complexion, etc., shavers will find it a revelation, as a doer of abrasions, roughness, and severe scrapings what it does for all manner of skin difficulties—heads and cures in a few days. It is the only article possessing real antiseptic and curative value that has ever been discovered for this purpose, and will soothe and tone up the skin as no toilet preparation could possibly do.

Pomade can be had for 50 cents at any reliable druggist's, particularly at the "Face" which make a specialty of it. Or the "Face" Laboratories, No. 23 West Twenty-fifth Street, New York City, will send a trial supply free by mail to any one who will write for it. This is sufficient to show results in twenty-four hours.

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